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PATENT

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

RICHARD MARTIN BROGLIE
LORIN ROGER DEBONTE
GUO-HUA MIAO
ROBERT STEFAN REITER

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APPLN. NO.: 08/728,025

GROUP ART UNIT: 1813

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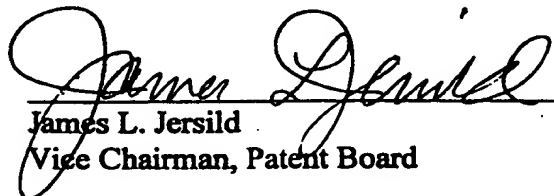
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Assignee's Consent To Correct Inventorship
Under 37 CFR §1.48

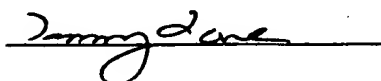
E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, by its undersigned representative, hereby consents to correction of inventorship in the matter of this patent application from Richard Martin Broglie, Lorin Roger DeBonte, Guo-Hua Miao and Robert Stefan Reiter to Richard Martin Broglie, Lorin Roger DeBonte, Guo-Hua Miao, Robert Stefan Reiter and William Dean Hitz.


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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Petition Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.48(a)

I, William Dean Hitz, am being added as a co-inventor in the above-identified application. I do hereby declare and state that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

Feb. 20, 1998
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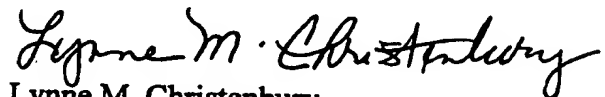
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Amendment To Correct Inventorship
Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.48(a)

Enclosed is (1) a Petition as set forth in 37 CFR §1.48(a)(1), (2) a Declaration by the actual inventors under 37 CFR 1.63, (3) the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(i), and (4) a Consent by the assignee. Any fee due in connection with this correction of inventorship should be taken from Deposit Account No. 04-1928.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment to correct inventorship to include William Dean Hitz.

Respectfully submitted,



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